

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Nakatsuka et al.
Appl. No.	:	10/502,511
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For	:	RADIOPROTECTIVE MATERIALS AND UTILIZATION THEREOF
Examiner	:	Thexton, Matthew
Group Art Unit	:	1714

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please amend the application as indicated:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.